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## MONEY TO LOAN

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Real Estate  
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Pearl Dawson is a new clerk at the Cyclone.

F. P. Ladenberger of Hoisington was in the city Friday last.

Arthur Taylor of Olmitz made his regular Sunday visit to our city last Sunday.

The best cigars, candies and confections can be found at Klughardt's & Sanderson, The City Bakery.

Mrs. D. T. Armstrong, of Anthony visited her many friends in this city the past week.

Coal—All you want, and at prices as low as any place, at A. H. SCHAEFFER'S.

M. Bunte, one of the leading merchants of Bushton, was a Great Bend visitor last Friday.

Chilly, yes it's Chilly. Try Klughardt and Sanderson's Chilly and warm up. Best in the land.

The Misses Ada, Jeannette and Carry Eppstein visited at Hutchinson last Saturday, and Sunday at Partridge.

M. L. Crow was down at Frank Megger's, in Comanche township nearly all of last week doing a big job of painting.

Just received, a fresh and up to date supply of mouldings for picture frames, at Buckland's, opposite DEMOCRAT office.

D. G. Gibbons, dentist, of Great Bend, stopped off in this city Tuesday, calling on our dentists.—Kingman Journal.

S. A. Newcombe is having the property on the corner of Peter Avenue and Mitchell street moved back, a new foundation built, and otherwise much improved.

I have Canon City, Maitland, Wier City, Trinidad or Territory Coal, for threshing or domestic use—all you want, at prices to meet all competition. A. H. SCHAEFFER.

J. S. Winget of Albert was in town last Sunday morning on his return from Hutchinson, where he was attending the fair and the auctioneers convention at the same time.

Moses Bros. Milling and Elevator Company have purchased an Orient Buckboard, an Automobile built by the Waltham Company, of Waltham, Mass., for the benefit of their traveling representatives.

Call and see our Calendar samples. You can get just what you want, and the prices are as cheap as any traveling agent will make them. Orders should be booked now, for December delivery.

Carl Hill, the Postal messenger boy, relieved the regular operator at Ellinwood for several days last week, and got along in pretty good shape. He will soon be a full fledged operator.

By an oversight the items from Cheyenne Valley, District 72 and Pawnee Rock were not gotten into the paper of last week. With apologies to the correspondents, we promise to be more careful in the future.

C. F. Wilner came out from Kansas City Sunday morning and ordered a new full sized plate glass front put in the building next to the post office, and also other improvements. Frank Porter will occupy the same about the 1st of October.

G. P. Jones was here this week arranging for putting in a dry goods stock, by J. Gross & Co., of Wichita. The store will be opened in the room opposite the J. V. Brinkman Co. Bank, as soon as Frank Porter moves out, which will likely be before Oct. 15th.

W. P. Bruce of Corwin, and Draydon, his son, of West Barber county, were in the city on Monday and called at the Bulletin office to renew acquaintances.

Miss Ada Shafter, of Great Bend passed through Anthony on Monday, on her way to visit her sister near Cherokee, Oklahoma, and called at the Bulletin office between trains. She went south on the Choctaw.—Anthony Bulletin.

#### A Big Event at Rush Centre.

Rush Centre Lodge No. 218 A. O. U. W., will give their Annual Picnic this year in Kennedy's Grove, Rush Centre, Kansas, on September 29, 1908. This promises to be one of the big events of the season. According to Past Grand Master Workman, Lamb, there were 3000 in attendance last year. The management have set the figure at 5000 for this year. Reduced rates of one and one-third rate for round trip on the Santa Fe.

#### Poultry Premiums At Hutchinson.

Frank Marsh and Perry Horn, two Great Bend people who had poultry at the state fair at Hutchinson, came away with premiums. Frank took first on cockerell and first on pen on his White Wyandottes, and third in the American Sweepstakes class. Mr. Horn took third on pen in the Golden Polish class.

Miss Maggie Fouch is in Colorado on a visit.

Al. Whitcomb has a pretty sore hand caused by blood poisoning.

W. A. Giles of Pawnee county was down last Saturday.

Rev. Father Weirama conducted forty hour devotion in Seward this week.

FOR RENT—140 acres of wheat land, new ground. See F. H. Lenger, Hudson, Kansas.

Dr. R. H. Meade spent Sunday and Monday in Colorado with his wife.

C. G. Holmstein, of Cushing, Oklahoma, was a Great Bend visitor the first of the week.

FOR SALE—At a bargain, good residence property, close in. Apply at his office.

L. K. Monger and wife, of Larned, visited their daughter Mrs. O. W. Dawson, Sunday.

Regular monthly meeting of the Great Bend Fire Co. tonight—the 25th.

Wanted, a good girl for general house work. Apply at the DEMOCRAT office.

Mrs. W. P. Ensminger of Morris county, is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. B. Miller, and father, D. H. Trullender.

N. Berscheidt of Ellinwood has accepted a position in the furniture department of the E. R. Moses Merc. Co's establishment.

FOR SALE at a bargain, a good well built, 8 room house; deep well, water works; 5 block west of Hotel Greene. Write to C. R. BROOKER, Cleo, Ok.

Sam Pratt and daughter, and Charlie Johnson, who have all been laid up with typhoid fever, are able to be on the street once more.

Alfalfa Seed for Sale. The supply is somewhat limited. Better see S. A. Newcombe and get what you want.

Albert Thompson, the business manager of the Hutchinson Daily Bee, was in the city last Sunday as the guest of his father. He made the DEMOCRAT office a pleasant call.

Cashier M. E. Heynes, of the Pawnee Rock State Bank, was a caller at the DEMOCRAT office Wednesday. He reports all the Pawnee Rock people prosperous and happy.

An amazing feature of Ringling Brothers' wonderful circus is a company of forty clowns, who keep the audience in a constant whirl of laughter by their odd conceits and grotesque actions.

FOR SALE—120 acres 2 1/2 miles east of Great Bend partly under cultivation, 4 room frame house, good well, Sec. 25-19-13 for sale at \$35.00 per acre. Address Mrs. M. D. Kandolph, Park City, Utah.

Mrs. L. P. Aber left Tuesday morning for Newton to join her husband, who has David Medium and Dandy C. on the circuit. She will accompany Mr. Aber to Wichita and ElDorado.

Mrs. Chas. Coffey came in from the east this week. Mrs. Coffey, who formerly was Miss Sue Dawson, and her husband, who is employed at Miller's cigar factory, expect to make Great Bend their home.

Geo. Fenno was down from the north Monday. He was accompanied by his father, formerly a resident of this county, but for some years past living in Colorado. Mr. Fenno Sr. is at present undecided about where he will locate, having left Colorado, but we hope he will come back to Barton.

A number of the farmers living along the right of way of the Koen ditch, are making serious complaint about the condition of the same, saying it is nothing but a strip, 100 feet wide, grown up with 10 to 12 foot sunflowers. The condition of the ditch must certainly be bad from the number of complaints registered, and we believe something should be done by somebody to remedy the matter.

At the Lawrence reunion George Thatcher was again elected president of the Illinois association, R. W. Emerson president of the Wisconsin association, and P. R. Cory secretary of the Iowa association. There were 250 Illinois soldiers registered, 60 from Wisconsin, and 110 from Iowa. The reunion was a grand success in every particular and all who went from here enjoyed the week very much.

G. Ed Rockwell, who has been with the U. S. army for the past three years, came in Sunday night from San Francisco, having completed the term for which he had enlisted. Ed spent 22 months in the Philippines which he says is enough for him, that he would rather be a little nearer home. He will go to Colorado to visit his sister Maude in a few days.

## Choice Eatables

**Gt. Bend Meat Market** serves meat choice and fine,

Toothsome, fresh cuts are found in their line.

Best place in the city for roast, steak or chop.

Eatables wholesome are found at this shop,

Nice cured meats are here—ham and bacon O. K.

Delicacies tempting are here every day.

Meats, poultry and fish at this market select,

Are kept in a manner neat and correct,

Reliable always—commodious and clean.

Keeping the best goods in this city are seen,

Every house-keeper knows—every cook is aware

That our goods are first-class and our prices are fair.

**W. L. Harrison, Prop.**  
**Great Bend, Kansas**

## Nickerson College.

School year will begin September 1, and continue 44 weeks.

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Accredited by the state board of education. Graduates from the high school course receive second grade certificates; from the pedagogical course, state certificates.

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Three more teachers for full work have been added for next year. The new teachers, like the old ones, are full graduates from Kansas and eastern colleges.

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